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MUSSARE BROS. CONVICTED OF SECOND DEGREE

Mayer Brauser, Important Witness Changes His Testimony and is Indicted on Charge of Perjury.

Saturday forenoon Mayer Braser, who conducts an auction house at 167 Main street, was arrested by County Detective Allison, on information made by the district attorney, charged with perjury in connection with the Mussare trial. Friday afternoon Brauser testified that Murphy and Catania came into his store, after the shooting, and had no guns.

He was placed on the stand again and he changed his tune, testifying that Murphy and Catania did not have guns in their possession after the shooting. He admitted furthermore that he lied on the stand yesterday and he was under arrest directly.

Friday afternoon County Detective Allison gave the story of the shooting as told him by Tony Mussare, the younger brother, after he had been locked up in police headquarters just after the shooting. Mr. Allison stated that Tony claimed that he came to Bradford several days before the shooting affray took place to look for work; that Murphy asked him what he was doing here and demanded that Mussare pay him $10 a week for the privilege of living in Bradford. Later, Tony claimed, it is said, that Murphy and another man held him up and took the few dollars in his possession. Mr. Allison testified that Tony said he called his brother on the telephone the morning of the shooting and told him he had secured work for both in Bradford and that Fred came to this city and that while the brothers were walking along Main street, they met Murphy and Catania.

When Murphy found, he said, that Fred was going to work here he ordered him also to pay him $10 a week or suffer the consequences. When the brothers questioned this order, according to the testimony, Murphy reached for his gun and Tony drew his weapon and opened fire. This testimony was given to show that Mussare had admitted that he had opened fire.

The remainder of the story is being disproved by other testimony given by employes of the Emery Hardare Company store who testified to the style of gun found on Tony Mussare which was used in the battle. He identified the gun as one sold to a woman who gave her name as Mrs. Giovanni Antonio, on October 28.

John Catania, who was wounded in the battle and is considered an important witness was placed on the stand and claimed he knew nothing about the affray except that someone had fired. He absolutely refused to identify Mussare as the one who shot. His answer confirmed the reports that he had been threatened by friends of the prisoner, and was very frightened. At the request of the prosecuting attorney the witness was declared hostile and the district attorney was given permission to make a cross examination.

A strenuous time then followed and at last, after being questioned again and again Catania admitted Tony Mussare had done the shooting.

It took the jury for the Mussare murder trial at Saturday afternoon just one hour and fifteen minutes to decide in regard to the verdict and they found Fred and Tony Mussare guilty of second degree murder. They were tried for shooting Joe Feracca, alias Murphy, last November in a gun battle on Main street, Bradford. Tony, the younger brother, was sentenced by Judge Bouton to from 15 to 20 year and Fred from 12 to 18 years in the Western penitentiary.

Both had believed they would be acquitted until the jury rendered its verdict and the blow was heavy. They kept composed until the sentence was meted out to them and then Tony threw his arms about his brother and screamed. Both brothers were removed from the court room by state policemen.

The wife of Fred Mussare, who was in the rear of the court room, utterly collapsed when told the sentence imposed on her husband. She fainted and after regaining consciousness, shrieked widely, calling out that her husband was innocent. She, too, was carried from the court room. On the lawn the woman was comforted and quieted by other women.

Attorney Driscoll argued for the defense and put forth a strong plea, arguing that the prosecution's own testimony showed the prisoner had shot in self-defense.

Attorney Wilon argued for the commonwealth and asked for a first degree verdict or no verdict at all.

Meyer Brauser of Bradford, who was arrested on Saturday for perjury in connection with the case was arraigned before Justice of the Peace Colegrove for a preliminary hearing, which he waived, and was held in $2,000 bail for the next term of court. Bonds were furnished.

The Mussares were removed Monday to the Western Penitentiary at Allegany, Pa.—Bradford Star.

CONOPUS CLUB TO GO AHEAD WITH SWIMMING POOL

At the Conopus Club dinner Monday at Munn's restaurant, T. F. Hungiville was appointed chairman to have charge of the plans for the swimming pool, and to use not to exceed $600 of the conopus club funds for this purpose. Only one more meeting will be held until after the fair.

FIRE AT CROSBY FRIDAY NIGHT

Aid was summoned from here last Friday night to subdue the fire in the charcoal sheds, at Crosby, which broke out between 2:00 and 3:00 o'clock. More than a dozen members of the Smethport Fire department responded at once to the call, taking the chemcial truck with them. The charcoal sheds and their contents were entirely destroyed, also five large Pennsylvania Rail Road cars filled with acetate for the Norwich Chemical company. these were valued at $20,000.

At one time the acetone plant was on fire but it was put out.

The fire was a spectacular one lighting up the heavens with a lurid flame, and was plainly visible from here. Wednesday it was still smouldering.

CUT BY GLASS

OLEAN, June 11.—George Saer of 317 North First street, was severely cut in the face by glass when the automobile of Abe Williams of 419 North Union street, was struck by an Erie railroad train on the North Union street crossing. Williams, who was driving, was not hurt. The car was badly damaged.

SMETHPORT GIRL WINS FINE POSITION.

Miss Birdie Monheimer daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Monheimer of this place has ben selected from a large number of applicants as assistant secretary to the vice president of Goldman Sachs and Co., the second largest banking house in New York. Mis Monheimer is a graduate of Bryant and Stratton Business college of Buffalo and is a very capable young woman. Her many friends here wil be glad to learn of this recognition of her ability.

GERTRUDE RICHARDS GIVES SPLENDID TALK ON INDIA SUNDAY MORNING AT M. E. CHURCH.

Mis Gertrude Richards, daughter of Geo. Richards of Hazelhurst, who has spent the past five years doing educational work in India under the auspices of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society, gave a very interesting and instructive talk Sunday morning at the M. E. Church on her work in India. Miss Richardson, who is an authority on her subject told of the many important changes that have taken place in that far off country in the past twenty years, of the rapid strides toward christianity the people are making, of boarding schools for boys and girls of the great need of more missionaries to aid in the work.

The population of India is 317,000,000, of these 20,000,000 are are christianized. There is a wonderful field for earnest workers. Miss Richards spoke with great feeling and intense conviction as one who has given her life to this cause.

SENATOR PEPPER GIVES PLEASING TALK IN COURT ROOM FRIDAY NOON.

U. S. Senator George Wharton Pepper and party, consisting of Mrs. Pepper, G. Scott Smith of Kane, county chairman Republican committee, S. D. Weaver of Bradford, and Chas P. Swope of Washington, D. C. secretary to Senator Pepper, arrived in Smethport Friday and were met by a number of prominent Republicans.

About 11 o'clock, after Judge Bouton had adjourned court Senator Pepper made a very pleasing talk to the large crowd there assembled.

Senator Pepper is a very scholarly man and one of unusual foresight and judgment. He stated in his speech that in the senate he was not recognized as Senator Pepper, but as the Senator from Pennsylvania, that he stood for the interests of Pennsylvania. He then spoke of the friendship existing between him and Senator Reed and of the great good they were able to accomplish through their excellent team work.

He is making this auto trip through the numerous Pennsylvania cities and towns in hopes of getting better acquainted with his constituents.

The party took lunch at the Grand Central Hotel.

Senator Reed was unable to be present as scheduled because of serious trouble he is having with a carbuncle on his neck. He remained at Titusville.

Friday evening a reception was given in Kane, for Senator Pepper and his party.

MERCHANTS ASSOCIATION MEET MONDAY EVENING.

The Merchants Association met Monday evening in the parlors of the council chamber. Several points of interest to those present were discussed. No business was transacted. The meeting was broken up about 9:00 o'clock by the alarm of fire being given, and every one rushed out to see the fire which was in Krankings basement.

The officers are: Mayme Colegrove, president, Wm. Monheimer, vice president, John Karlen, treasurer and J. E. Cather, secretary.

DEATH OF JOHN W. ANDERSON.

John W. Anderson was born on March 24th, 1842, in Enslof, Holland, Sweden, and passed away on June 10th 1923, at the age of 81 years 2 months and 16 days. he was one of a family of 6 children, he had 4 brothers and one sister all having preceded him in death except one brother, Ben Anderson of Ottawa, Kansas. He emigrated to the United States and arrived at Wilcox, Pa., on May 10th, 1869, and in May 1871, was united in marriage to Anna C. Bengtson, who passed away on February 4th, 1923. They moved from Wilcox, Pa., to Coryville, Pa., and a short time later moved to Clermont where they have resided for 49 years and which has been their home until this passing.

He leaves to mourn his loss besides the aforesaid brother one son, A. R. Anderson, of Clermont and one daughter, Mrs. A. F. Anderson of Lynn, Mass., together with 6 grand children and one great grand child.

The funeral was held Wednesday at 2:00 o'clock p. m. in the Swedish Lutheran church at Clermont, Pa., Rev. A. A. Wilfrid of Mt. Jewett, and Rev. Arthur Gregson of this place officiated

Interment was in Clermont cemetery.

Mr. Anderson has been an invalid for several years, and has borne his sufferings with true christian fortitude. He will be missed by a legion of friends.

SAM FRY RUN OVER BY ENGINE ON WAY TO THE KRANKING FIRE

Sam Fry of Water street was seriously injured Monday evening, when he fell from the fire engine, on which he was controlling the brakes, and the fire box raked him, injuring his hip and right foot. He was on his way to the fire which broke out about 9:00 o'clock in Krankings basement, and the accident occurred at the Shawmut crossing. He was carried into Spears' residence and later to his home, where Dr. W. A. Ostrander is caring for him.

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES BIG SUCCESS

The commencement exercises of Smethport High School held Thursday evening in the lyceum, were well attended and of great interest to all present. The lyceum was attractively decorated in large bouquest of wild flowers and ferns, the front of the stage being banked with them.

The large class of 22 members made an impressive picture as they marched onto the stage.

The Invocation was given by Rev. Arthur Gregson.

The Girl's chorus of the High School, under the direction of Mrs. Bright, rendered two vocal numbers "Sunshine and Rain" and "My Shadow," in a very pleasing manner. Miss Lemmler assisted at the piano.

Miss Ethel Moore, 2nd honor student read a splendid essay on "Woman's Opportunity."

The D. A. R. Prize for the highest marks in American History were awarded to Harriet Brownell and Dick Hockenbury. Mrs. R. Kessler, made the presentation.

The American Legion medal to the eighth grade boy who stood highest in scholarship and leadership, was awarded to Emil Johnson. Wm. Brownell made the presentation.

Then followed the address by Rev. A. B. McCormick, pastor of the 1st Presbyterian church of Binghamton, N. Y. His subject was "The Qualities that make for Success," and he dealt with the subject in a very interesting manner.

The High School Chorus sang two more numbers, "Can't Yo' Hear Me Callin' Caroline?" and "We'll Always Love you Dear old High" followed by an essay on "A Review of the Progress of Medicine and Healing" by Hilding Bengs, 1st honor student.

E. A. Studholme presented the diplomas. The benediction was pronounced by Rev. Arthur Gregson.

SIX OF SEVEN PASSENGERS IN KANE HOSPITAL.

At 11.30 o'clock last evening a touring car containg seven Salamanca residents turn turtle in a ditch just beyond the Kane Country Club and six af the seven passengers are now in the Kane Summit hospital, suffering from injuries.

The party, consisting of two American and five Greeks, had spent the day in Kane with James Bechakas, and had left for home, when the accident occurred which landed all but one back in the Kane hospital.

Lewis Kennedy was driving the car and was blinded by a car coming towards the Nash. Not being able to see the road and also being unfamilar with it Kennedy drove straight ahead instead of taking a turn to the right and landed in a ditch, where the car turned over.

As many cars were passing the point, assistance was given the crippled party and all were soon removed to the Kane hospital.

In the party were Gust Bechakas and a younger brother, the latter being uninjured, Harry and Stacy Pongis, Gust Charles, Peter Koch and Lewis Kennedy. Stacy Pongis had both collar bones broken and his head and face cut and others were more or less injured. It is feared that Peter Koch is hurt internally, as he is suffering greatly to day. The scene of the accident presented a bloody and gruesome appearence last night and today and made many Bradford motorists shudder when they pased the spot this morning.—Star-Record, June 11th.

GRANGE.

Third and fourth degrees will be given in full, to a class, at Fidelity Grange, on the evening of June 20th, and a supper will be served afterwards.

INDEPENDENTS DEFEAT RED ROCKS.

In the game played Sunday afternoon at Red Rock, between the Independents of this place, and the Red Rocks, the Independents were victorious with a score of 10 to 9 in their favor.

DR. AND MRS. BURG CHADWICK AT SHRINERS CONVENTION IN WASHINGTON

Dr. and Mrs. Burg Chadwick of this place were in Washington last week, and witnessed the great parades and magnificent epectacles provided to entertain all visiting Shriners. One parade held Tuesday required three hours and thirty minutes to pass a given point.

Noble, Warren G. Harding and wife played host and hostess Tuesday afternoon in the executive Mansion and shook hands with a multitude of people.

Thursday evening was the dance of the States. From the capital and White House the asphalt that was touched by a million shoes, was hammered by a million others in the intricacies of jazz.

Preceding the wholesale jig came the final tableax, the historic pageant parade, floats and sixteen shrine bands.

At midnight Thursday "America" was sung by a mile of singers, marking the real "thirty" of the worlds biggest, greatest and most colorful fraternal meeting.

RELEASED THURSDAY AGAIN ARRESTED FOR HOOCH SALE SATURDAY

Being out on $2,000 bail for alleged hooch vending operations meant nothing in the young life of Ed Cabisca of Port Allegany for, according to County Detective J. J. Allison and state policemen, he went back to his pool room immediately after his release from the county jail last Thursday and began dispensing liquor cheer until he was re-arrested Saturday night.

Cabisca was arrested last Thursday night during raids by the county detective and state police in Port Allegany. He was locked up in the county bastile and was released Thursday on $2,000 bail after a preliminary hearing. Saturday night the county detective and state police again visited Port Allegany and "dropped in" Cabisca's pool room.

The back room of the billiard parlor was all rigged up to look as much as possibe like a saloon reminiscencent o fthe old days." Here the officers found and confiscated one 2-gallon; three 1-gallon jugs; 22 half-pint bottles ful of moonshine and three crates of empty bottles. A large crowd of "customers" were in the pool room at the time of the raid and the officers had a lively time before they managed to take Cabisca along to the county jail. He was arraigned before Justice of the Peace Colegrove and held in $5,000 bail for the next term of court. Bail was furnished.

Last year Cabisca was convicted of disobeying the Volsteadian commandments and was sentenced to pay $500 fine and costs of prosecution.—Era.

SIX O'CLOCK DINNER.

Miss Margaret O'Riley Barker entertained 12 young ladies with a six o'clock dinner Monday in honor of Miss Helen Bouton, bride elect. The out of town guests were: Mrs. W. Merril Bisett, of Tulsa, Okla. Mrs. Geo. Bovaird, Misses Cleone and Marcia Brooks, Marjorie Davis, Julia Smith, Helen Costello, of Bradford. Auction Bridge was played after dinner and Miss Bouton was presented with a beautiful gift. The house decorations were baskets of old fashioned flowers and yellow and pink roses.

PROMINENT OLEAN GIRL IS MARRIED.

Frances Quinn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Francis Quinn, of North Second street, and Joseph F. Walsh, of Syracuse, were united in marriage in a nuptial high mass in church of Saint Mary of the Angels Thursday. The Rev. Father Edward J. Rengel performed the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Walsh left on a six weeks' motor trip in Canada.

The bride is prominent in society here and is a daughter of the president of the Quinn Lumber and Chemical companies.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Sunday, June 17. Morning worship, 10:30; the Holy Communion will be administered at this service. Church School, 11:45; Evening worship, 7:30.

HAGMAN-PROVIN.

Carl B. Hagman, son of Ben Hagman of Clermont, and Rosa M. Provin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Provin of this place, were united in marriage, Tuesday, June 12th at 8:00 a. m. at the home of the brides parents on East Main street. Rev. Arthur Gregson of the M. E. church performed the ceremony.

The bride was attractively gowned in brown crepe de chene, and carried a bouquet of sweet peas and roses. She was given away by her father.

Following the ceremony a wedding breakfast was held at the home of the bride. The table decorations were lemon lilies. The happy couple left immediately for Erie, where they will spend a week or so. They will be at home at Clermont after June 25th.

Miss Provin is a Smethport High School graduate, and a talented pianist, she is well liked by all who know her. Mr. Hagman is employed by the United Natural Gas company of Clermont, and is a capable and industrious young man.

The Miner with a host of friends extends its congratulations.

KRANKINGS BASEMENT ON FIRE MONDAY EVENING.

A small fire broke out Monday evening about nine o'clock in the basement of C. A. Kranking's grocery. The fire company responded promptly to the alarm, and soon had the fire extinguished. Very little damage was done, and the origin of the fire is unknown.

Mr. Kranking had been in the building only a short time before and there was no trace of fire.

WORK STARTED ON FAIR GROUNDS.

The work of preparation for the big County fair to be held here September 11, 12, 13 and 14 has already begun. The fair ground is being put in shape for the big event under the charge of W. H. Hungerford.

The advertising is being ordered, and next week the work of soliciting ads. for the fair catalogue will be begun.

Every thing indicates that the fair this year will exceed any ever before held in Smethport.

PORT ALLEGANY CHOIR HERE AT BAPTIST CHURCH NEXT SUNDAY EVENING.

The Rev. C. E. Crandall and the Rev. D. L. Lloyd of Port Allegany with the chorus choir, will be at the Smethport Baptist church on Sunday night, June 17. Come and hear them.

THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

Rev. S. A. Renicks, Pastor.

There will be a joint meeting of the church and the Sunday School next Lord's day at 10:30 a. m. We will have our regular children's Day program by the Sunday School a good program is being prepared by the teachers. The children of today are the church of the future; are you helping to build for the future church come next Sunday morning, bring your children and your friends, you need the church and the church needs you. Evening services at 7:30. There will be a business meeting of all church officers on Friday night at 7:30, that will take in the Sunday School officers.

The Baptist church of Smethport is about to start to repair their their church property to the amount of $1000; If the church is to accomplish its God-given task, in the community it must be repaired and the house put in order. Our cause is a most worthy one. Therefore we appeal to you to help us at this time to meet this need.

Neglect of the church tears down character, weakens the will and may destroy the happiness of the home. Give the church a chance. You fail to do so unles you give it your support. Our membership is small. We have made no appeal to the public for seven years. We have no entertainments, church suppers, or festivals to raise money to carry on the work of God. Nothing but the free-will offering. Rev Renicks left town on Tuesday with a full car of delegates for the Allegany River Baptist Association which will be held at Emporium Baptist church June 12th, and 13th.

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GOOD
CIGARETTES
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GENUINE
"BULL"
DURHAM
TOBACCO

TURTLE POINT

Mrs. W. J. Plunket passed through through here last Saturday enrgute for Port Allegany.

Mr. Steve Murphy has purchased an automobile.

W. J. Crowley and family were down from Rock Run last Sunday.

Mr. John Murphy was on Two Mile last Sunday.

Mr. Arlie Smith of Eldred was in this place last Saturday.

Mr. Ford bought a pig of Edd. McGill last week.

Miss Alena McGill from Turtle Point who left last fall for Denver Colorado with a girl friend from Eldred, a teacher, arrived at Colorado in time for the six weeks course. They both taught as they expected last year. Their school closed on June 1st, and they left Colorado for Los Angeles California on the 5th where they will spend some time before coming back East. The best wishes for success and a pleasant vacation are extended to them.

Mr. P. H. Murphy and T. F. Hughes were transacting business in Port Allegany last Friday.

Miss Stella Fortner of Wrights was visiting at G. L. Carlson's last week.

Miss Katie Murphy was in this place last Saturday evening.

LARABEE

Miss Ruth Carpenter was a Salamanca visitor Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Nichols were visiting friends at Andover on Sunday.

Miss Marie Haynes of Surtwell was a guest of Miss Doris Johnon Friday.

Mr. Nesselly of Buffalo was a business visitor in town Friday.

Mis Tylla Bradt of Duffytown was a guest of her sister, Mrs. L. J. Coleman, Sunday.

George McKelvey and daughter, Miss Lucile McKelvey, were Port Allegany visitors Tuesday evening.

Freddie Childs returned home Tuesday evening after spending several weeks with relatives in Buffalo.

Mrs. Webb Huff accompanied him home and will spend a few days visiting relatives here.

Mrs. J. P. Johnson of Johnsonburg spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Ireland of Canfield Hollow.

Mrs. Hazel Knapp and daughter Juanita, and Miss Hazel Knapp of Bradford were Sunday guests of the former's parents Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hitchcock Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Raszmann, Miss Beth Carpenter and Theodore Johnson attended the 33rd annual reception and dance of the Eldred High School Alumni Association, held in Legion Hall at Eldred Thursday evening.

George McAuliffe and Thomas Mulvaney were business visitors in Port Allegany Thursday.

Charles Sewell of Keating Summit was visiting relatives in town Friday.

Divine Services were held at the Larabee school house Friday evening at 8:00 p. m. Mr. Smith of Bradford, County Superintendent of Union Sunday Schools, was present.

Mrs. William Sheehan of Olean spent last week at the home of Rev. Father M. E. Dailey in Sartwell.

Miss Ruby Haynes is a guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Lottie Arnot of Rew City.

Miss Mary McAuliffe spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Oliver in Olean.

CROSBY

Crosby had a bad fire last Friday night as the coal shed at the Heinemann Chemical Company burned to the ground.

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Barbour autoed to Driftwood last Sunday.

The dance given last Friday night by the band boys was a success. Every one had a good time.

Mr. Tom Garret of Port Allegany is visiting at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Berg and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Comes and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Pete Walters.

Mr. and Mrs. Atwood Putnam and children have gone to Rochester, N. Y., to reside.

Leo Smith and bride have gone to Annendale to reside.

Merle Wilcox and Miss Francis Peterson spent last Wednesday in Austin.

Mike McDade and Pete Walters were in Kane last Thursday on business.

Geo. McCullen was a Smethport visitor Wednesday.

Glen McDowell is visiting friends in McDonald, Ohio.

Kermit and Gretchen Winslow are home from State college to spend the summer.

D. A. Gifford left Tuesday for Annendale to visit his son Ray and family.

VICINITY NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Wyant of Wellsvile spent Sunday at F. A. Burdick's.

Eliese Tanner of Olean spent the week-end here.

Audrey Hyde was visiting friends in Smethport, a few days last week.

Lawrence Coon of Olean was in town last week.

Harold Forther of Port Allegany a sa guest of Gladys Nuorse Sunda yafternoon.

Wm. Cedrieber of Kane was a Sunday guest of Olive Thomas.

Edith Cory of Kane is spending the week with friends.

Audrey Hyde, Ophelia Butterfield Noel Evans and Clark Hackett motored to Salamanca Sunday.

Mary Abbey of Bradford is visiting relatives here.

Edith Churchley attended the dance at Crosby Friday night.

Gladys Nourse was a guest of Mrs. Chester Marsh of Farmers Valley last week.

Roland Ladlee spent Sunday at his home in Irish Hollow.

Don Nelson of Port Allegany called on friends here Sunday.

Gadys Nourse, Mary Moody, Lawrence Washburne and Vernon Reese motored to Olean Saturday evening.

Anna Field called on Mrs. Roy Dickinson Sunday.

Mabel Ford of Port Allegany is visiting relatives here.

George Gloss of Rew was a Sunday guest of Helen Schoonmaker.

Muriel Patterson, Helen Pierce and Florence Schoonmaker left Sunday noon for a camping trip to Chautauqua Lake.

Special Sale on
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Uncommon Sense

By JOHN BLAKE

CONTENTMENT

TEACHERS of the past, paid and fed by rulers, preached the joy of contentment. They urged the poor to be content with their lot. They discouraged ambition in the peasant. They besought the common people to remain as they were, and not to aspire to the comfort and luxuries of the rich.

It was an excellent gospel—for the rulers. As long as the bondman was contented, the noble had no fear that the right to plunder would be imperiled. If the peasant could be kept satisfied with a hovel and a pittance there would be less danger that his sons would nourish a dangerous desire to prosper.

Epictetus, the Greek slave whose teachings were all that his master could wish, had no yearning for independence himself, and could not see why it should be craved by others. He said:

"If you were born in Persia, you would not endeavor to live in Greece, but to be happy in the place where you were. Why then, if you were born in poverty, do you yearn to be rich, and not rather happy in the condition where you are?"

And again: "If therefore you acquire a habit of reasoning, you will neither desire riches nor complain of poverty."

Beautiful doctrine, which if faithfully practiced, would have held back the world for centuries.

It is the desire for independence, the desire for better conditions that has brought the human race out of slavery.

Great riches do not bring happiness, it is true. But there can be no happiness without a degree of independence, and the man who is contented with who and what he is, will never be independent.

The poets and philosophers who preach contentment practice it very little. It was their discontent with what they were, that made them what they are.

No thoroughly contented person will ever progress. His contentment will tie him to his present condition forever.

There can be no such thing as contented poverty, for poverty is horrible, and a breeder of horrors. And as long as it exists, no man, whether he suffers it himself, or beholds others suffering it, has the right to be contented.

Do not strive for riches, but strive for independence. And if you find you are getting satisfied with yourself and your condition stop and take your bearings. There is something the matter with you.

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Old Scotch Universities.

Glasgow university, founded in 1450, is the oldest in Scotland, except St. Andrews.

MEN YOU MAY MARRY

By E. R. PEYSER

Has a Man Like This Proposed to You?

Symptoms: Short and very slender, not an inch over five feet. Cherishes the dream that form-fitting clothes make him look taller. Large head and eyes. Gentle, humorous and intelligent. Loves wild west "movies," prize fights and blood-chilling thrillers of all kinds. A good business man, where brains count before beauty. Spends with a modest abandon.

IN FACT

He has all but the externals.

Prescription for the Bride to Be:

℞ Close your eyes and go ahead!

Absorb This:

THE BEST LOOKERS ARE NOT ALWAYS THE BEST LIVERS

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SCHOOL DAYS

GOSH, EB! HERE'S A PERFECTLY GOOD MUSTACHE CUP, WITH RED ROSES PAINTED ON IT, NOT A CRACK OR CHIP IN IT, & SOMEONE GIVE IT TO MY FATHER!
SAY, SIR GOSH SAKES! ARE WE GOIN' TRAIN OR RUN 'EM?
DRIVES ROUND IN THIS CAR ALL DAY! I WAS TO A COME IN WITH THE HORSES, SAY!
LOOK! LOOK! HEY, LOOKY! A BRASS BAND!! SOME BRASS! LOOKY! LOOK, EB!
THE TOMB OF TUTANKHAMEN
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Mother's Cook Book

If only myself could talk to myself
As I knew him a year ago,
I could tell him a lot
That would save him a lot
Of things he ought to know.
—Kipling.

SEASONABLE DISHES

NOW while the mushroom season is here, prepare some catsup for the winter.

Mushroom Catsup.

Break the mushrooms and place in a jar, sprinkling each layer with salt; to one peck of mushrooms use two-thirds of a cupful of salt. Let them stand for two days, stirring occasionally; then rub through a sieve and to each quart of the pulp allow three blades of mace, one tablespoonful of peppercorns, one-half tablespoonful of sliced ginger root, a half-tablespoonful of allspice and more salt if liked. Boil all together for thirty minutes, bottle and seal. If put through a fine sieve, strain out the condiments; the mixture will be more attractive in appearance.

Chutney.

Chop the following ingredients fine, taking the tomatoes by themselves. Six green peppers, from which the seeds and pulp have been removed; twelve sour apples, four onions, one cupful of seeded raisins and eight green tomatoes. Into a quart of vinegar, stir two cupfuls of sugar, two teaspoonfuls of dry mustard, two teaspoonfuls of salt; put over the fire and cook five minutes; after the boiling point is reached add the other ingredients and cook over a slow fire for an hour. Put into jars and seal. This is an excellent accompaniment to roast pork or mutton.

Ground Cherry Preserve.

For each pound of the small tomatoes use one-half pound of sugar and one lemon. Remove the husks. Make a sirup with the sugar and just enough water to dissolve it, then skim them out and boil the sirup until thick. Cook the rind of a lemon until tender, add with the juice to the fruit and seal boiling hot.

Nellie Maxwell

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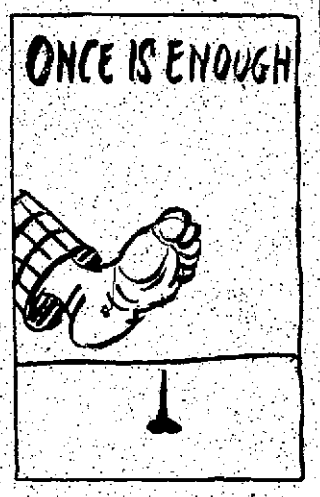

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NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

FOUR HURT IN COLLISION OF ELECTRIC CARS.

Four employes of the Olean, Bradford and Salamanca Railway company, were painfully injured when two electric cars of the company came together in a head-on collision near Little Genesee about 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

The injured men are: William Barber, 49 years old, of 673 East State street, suffering from lacerations of the left hip; Tony Bassoni, 38, of 1206 Spruce street, contusion of the right hip and shock; Angelo Ruby, 50, of 1119 Spruce street, dislocated left shoulder and a slight scalp wound and Dominic Seniclone, of 1206 Spruce street, bruised shoulder and body muscles.

Barber, Ruby and Bassoni, were removed to the Higgins Memorial hospital where they are still confined. Seniclone's bruises were dressed at the institution Monday.

The collision occurred when a work car which had been kept near Little Genesee while the men were completing a job started for Olean to make a switch to permit a freight car, operated by Barber, to pass on to Bollvar. The two cars met at a sharp curve and the motorman of either car could not observe the other until they came together. The tracks were considerably slippery due to a heavy fall of rain in the vicinity yesterday and when the motormen of the cars quickly shoved the air brakes on, the cars slid for several feet. It is thought that if the trucks had been dry the collision would have been avoided.—Olean Herald, June 7.

AUTO GOES OVER BANK AND LANDS IN THE ALLEGANY.

Coudersport, June 7.—Henry Gribley, of Ulysses, was probably fatally injured about noon today, when an auto in which he was an occupant went over a steep embankment landed in the Allegany River about 20 feet from the road. Edward Daniels, of Ulysses, the driver of the car escaped unharmed while C. W. Blackman, of Vassar, Michigan, received a number of minor injuries.

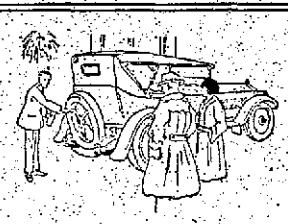
The car in which the three men were riding was struck by an auto driven by Forrest Cutler, of Gold, at Frinks station about four miles from this place. Daniels was operating his machine from Coudersport to Ulysses when the accident occurred. The road in which the cars were traveling was in a very slippery condition due to the heavy rains which have fallen during the past few days and Cutler's machine skidded as the two cars were about to pass striking Daniel's car and pushing it over the embankment into the bed of the river.

Gribley was removed to the farm house of Marsh & McElroy, in the immediated vicinity of the accident being in such a serious condition that he could not be brought to a hospital.

OLEAN WOMAN, HURT IN CRASH, MAY DIE.

Olean, June 11.—Mrs. Belle Waters of 506 North Eighth street probably was fatally hurt and two others were injured last night when her touring car ran into a telephone pole in West State street just wst of the city.

Mrs. Waters suffered fractures of the jaw bone in two places and internal injuries. Loretta Waters, a daughter, suffered a deep cut in the forehead, and Jack Irving, who was riding from Allegany to Olean in the machine suffered scalp wounds. James Waters, a son, who as driving, was not hurt. Mrs. Waters and Mr. Irving are in the Olean General hospital.



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SUDDEN FLOW OF GAS FROM A WELL CAUSES ACCIDENT.

Men are Now in Critical Condition in Kane Hospital; Flames Shot 30 Feet From Pump House Door.

Henry Olson and Emil Latt, oil well workers, employed by the William Kennedy company at McKinley Station are in the Kane Summit hospital in a grave condition as the result of an explosion at a gas well this morning about 8:00 o'clock. The men were engaged in pulling a well, which means that they were repairing the pumping apparatus, when there was a sudden and terrific explosion.

It is believed that a sudden rush of gas from the well was ignited from a spark of a motor control switch. Flames shot thirty feet from the door of the pump house and spectators attracted by the explosion rushed to the aid of the injured men. They were rushed to the hospital here in record-breaking time and upon examination were found to be very badly burned about the head, arms and bodies.

Henry Olson lives at East Kane. He is married and has several children. Emil Latt was boarding at McKinney Station. He was married only a few months ago and his wife was visiting her father at Jamestown. She was notified this morning immediately after the occurrence and no doubt will reach her husband's bedside this afternoon.—Kane Republican, June 7.

GAS EXPLOSION VICTIM DIES AT KANE HOSPITAL.

Kane, June 9.—Emil Latt, one of the victims of the gas explosion at a well near McKinley station, died at the Kane Summit hospital at 1:05 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The burns about his head, face and hands proved beyond the best medical skill to combat. Mr. Latt boarded at McKinley Station, and was married a few months ago. His wife was in Jamestown, N. Y., when the accident ocurred but reached his bedside before his death. In fact was with him last night. Henning Olson, the other victim of the explosion, while still in a serious condition, seemed somewhat improved.

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The man, who was formerly well known as an operatic tenor, was released from Parkhurst some months ago, after serving a three years' sentence, says "The London Daily News." He has written of his prison experiences in a local paper, and still hides his identity under his prison number.

At his recital he sang half a dozen songs in a magnificent tenor voice. One song, dedicated to his wife, was one of about 150 pieces of music he composed while in prison. His impressive rendering of this song deeply touched the audience.

In response to the calls of the audience, the singer said the past was over and finished. He hoped to be a living proof that a man could come out of the cage and lead a straight life.

Boasts of His Tiny Mules.

Yuba City, Cal.—While Missouri and Kentucky may boast the raising of the largest mules, Sutter county is laying claim to the two smallest mules. James Bevan owns the two little animals. One weighs 44 pounds and is 30 inches high, while the other stands 28 inches high and tips the scales at 34 pounds. Bevan believes they are the smallest mules in the world.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR SHERIFF.

Editor Miner:

I hereby announce that I am a candidate for the nomination of Sheriff of McKean County subject to the decision of the Republican voters at the primaries, Tuesday, September 18, 1923.

A. B. HENRY,
April 2, 1923 Eldred, Pa.

Editor Miner:

Kindly announce that I am a candidate for the nomination of sheriff of McKean County subject to the decision of the voters of the county at the primaries, on Tuesday, September 18, 1923.

RICHARD T. FOWLER,
April 2, 1923. Kane, Pa.

To the Editor of the Miner:—

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of McKean County subject to the action of the Republican party at the primaries, September 18, 1923.

JOHN H. HOWE,
Bradford, Pa., March 31, 1923.

Editor Miner, Smethport:—

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of McKean County, subject to the decision of the Republican party at the primaries, September 18, 1923.

H. G. SOLT,
Chief of Police, Bradford, Pa.

FOR TREASURER.

Editor Miner:

Please announce that I am a candidate for the nomination for County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Republican voters of McKean County, at the fall primary election to be held on Tuesday, September 18, 1923.

DANIEL M. COOPER,
68 Jefferson St., Bradford, Pa.

I hereby announce that I am a candiate for the nomination for County Treasurer of McKean county, subject to the decision of the Republican party at the primaries to be held September 18, 1923.

JOSEPH F. ROBINSON.
March 27, 1923. Smethport, Pa.

Editor Miner:

I hereby announce that I am a candidate for the nomination for Commissioner of McKean county, subject to the decision of the Republican voters at the primaries on Tuesday, September 18, 1923.

W. H. HALPENNY,
March 27, 1923. Smethport, Pa.

Homer Chatley of Bradford announces he is a Republican candidate for County Treasurer of McKean county, subject to the action of the Republican voters in the September primaries.

HOMER CHATLEY.
March 19th, 1923.

Editor the Miner:

Kindly announce that I am a candidate for county treasurer, subject to the decision of the Republican voters at the primaries to be held September 18, 1923.

CHAS. M. CAREY,
April 10, 1923. Kane, Pa.

FOR REGISTER
Register of Wills.

The Editor:—

Please announce that I am a candidate for the nomination to the office of Register of Wills & Clerk of the Orphans' Court of McKean county, subject to the decision of the Republican voters at the primary election to be held, September 18, 1923.

JOHN B. EASTMAN,
Smethport, Pa., April 3, 1923.

Editor McKean Miner:

Please announce that I am a candidate for the nomination to the office of Register of Wills and Clerk of the Orphan's Court of McKean county, subject to the decision of the Republican voters at the election to be held September 18, 1923.

C. ROY Engstrom,
Kane, Pa., May 15, 1923.

FOR RECORDER OF DEEDS

Editor Miner:

Kndly announce that I am a candidate for the office of Recorder of Deeds of McKean County, subject to the decision of the Republican voters of the County, at the Fall Primaries to be held September 18th, 1923.

A. R. ANDERSON,
April 16, 1923. Clermont, Pa.

HE DOES NOT BELIEVE POLITICS SHOULD ENTER INTO HIS DEPARTMENT.

Harrisburg, June 8.—Dr. Thomas E. Finegan today declined the offer of reappointment as Superintendent of Public Instruction. Dr. Finegan issed a long statement outlining his stand.

"I stand squarely upon the principle that no precedent can be established which shall permit political interference with the technical and professional administration of the educational affairs of the state," Dr. Finegan in his letter to the Governor. "It is a wise provision of the constitution which seeks to give the public schools this principle in school administration should be strengthened and not destroyed."

Governor Pinchot in his statement says; "I am exceedingly sorry Dr. Finegan has decided not to give me time for a thorough examination of the Department of Public Instruction but instead has finally withdrawn." The governor said he has asked Deputy Superintendent Dr. J. George Becht to perform the duties, and that in order to make the duties to be performed free from any legal or other question will send his name to the Senate for confirmation next week.

"I have agreeed to accept the proposition made by the governor," was the declaration of Dr. Becht.

Dr. Becht has been with the State Educational department for several years, prior to which time he was head of the Clarion State Normal School. He is well known throughout McKean county.

HARDING FINDS SPLIT TALK HAS FOREIGN TWIST.

Internationalists who are endeavoring to stir up trouble betwene President Harding and the Republican national committee over the world court proposal are doomed to failure according to intimates of the President.

Mr. Harding, it was learned today is entirely satisfied with the attitude of the national committee on the question of the league of nations and the world court and is distinctly not in sympathy with the attempt of a Republican faction, in which the Democrats are gleefully joining, to foment discord in the Republican heirarchy.

From the proleague minority of the Republican party have emnated demands for the retirement of John T. Adams of Iowa from the chairmanship of the national committee on the ground that he is not in sympathy with the President's world court proposal. It was said that Fred W. Upham, treasurer is disgruntled and is planning to resign.

Rumors Without Grounds

It turns out, however, that Mr. Upham has no intention of resigning. He has gone to Europe for a vacation, but he intends to serve out his term of office, which ends when the new committee is formed at the national convention a year hence. His only intimation of retirement at any time has been a remark that he did not think his health will permit his acceptance of another term.

Mr. Adams scheduled to serve as chairman until the new committee is organized after the convention. He is wholeheartedly in favor of the re-nomination of the President, pronounces Mr. Harding the party's greatest asset, and believes that the Harding policies assure Republican success next year. He holds that domestic issues will be paramount in the presidential election and that the world court presents a minor issue which could not possibly split the party.

Adams Quiet on Court

Some Republicans who are gunning for Harding have tried to make it appear that Chairman Adams denounced the world court when in a recent statement he said the Republican party is still overwhelmingly opposed to the league of nations. The fact is that he carefully refrained from mentioning the world court proposal for the reason that that is not a party policy.

Just as the President does not believe in coercing congress, he does not believe in dictating to the Republican national committee. He does not demand that the committee espouse the world court proposal in the absence of a party mandate to do so. He is trying to convince his party that it should endorse his world court plan in the convention next year.

A GOVERNOR AND HIS DOG.

Governor Baxter of Maine has been widely crttized because he ordered the flag on the state house at Augusta lowered to half-mast for the death of his dog. But those who have known the blind, unwavering devotion of a dog, the loyalty that takes no account of humai frailties, will not be inclined to impeach Governor Baxter for the tribute to his dead dog friend.

One of his purposes, the governor says, was to "arouse our people to a new realization of their responsibilities to dumb animals." Also, he believes that his act heightened the significance of the flag "as an emblem of human achievement that has been made possible largely through the faithful services of dumb animals."

Who will deny the service of dogs and horses and other mute creatures? Carrier pigeons have been cited in war orders for service. Dogs have been decorated for life-saving. There are tales without number of the deeds they have performed in rescuing human beings from death.

Here is a bachelor governor, whose dog was his closest companion in domestic moments. Whether he erred in judgment in ordering the flag lowered for his faithful dog or not is unimportant. The thousands all over the land who on Tuesday observed the centenary of the birth of George T. Angell, the man who pioneered the movement against cruelty to animals, will resent the imputation that Governor Baxter's action was disrespectful to the flag.

"It is my prayer, said Governor Baxter, "that I always may be as unselfish and as loyal to my Master, state and nation, as was Garry to me." Well spoken.—Buffalo News.

BEST WRITERS USE "AMERICANISM."

Many words and phases that have a peculiar signicance in the United States have come into common use in recent years. They are encoutered every day in articles contributed to the newspapers and magazines by the best writers. A carefully selected list of such "Americanism" will be found in The New Universalligs Dictionary being offered to the readers of this paper. They make up one of the twenty-two supplimentary dictionaries which have been incorporated in this remarkable volume, compiled and edited by leading American lexicographers, including Percy W. Long, Ph. Harvard University; Clark S. Northrup, Cornell University; and others. The editor-in-chief is George J. Hager, compiler of many previous dictionaries and encyclopedias. The book is absolutely new. Its definitions are simple, accurate and authoritative.

Coaxed Thirty-One Years to Quit Job.

London.—Robert Joseph, who lacks but nine years of a century of life, retired from the service of a firm of brewers at Burton-on-Trent very recently. For thirty-one years his employers had been trying to induce him to retire, but always he refused, saying nothing but work would satisfy him. Now that he is willing to rest, his fellows have given him a fine armchair.

Husband's Radio Set Dragged Into Court

A radio set has been named as corespondent my Mrs. Emma E. Maypother, of New York City, in a separation suit against George Maypother, wholesale druggist.

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Jamestown, N. Y., Oct. 25, 1915
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Niagara Co., N. Y., Johnson Creek, Sept. 19, 1913.
Dr. Brown:—

My Goitre is all gone and I feel thankful for it. I went to doctors in Buffalo and Lockport and Gasport and Middleport and Johnson's Creek before I saw you and I did not get any help. Any one with a Goitre I would advise Dr. Brown's treatment as it was that that cured me. it was an old one and very large. I had quit work. Yours,
William Hartley,
38 Middleport, N. Y.

FEMALE COMPLAINT.

Dr. Brown, Jamestown, N. Y.
Dear Sir:—

I feel it my duty to express my gratitude for the good which your medicines has done me. For the past ten years I have suffered from female weakness. I went to many doctors, but none ould do me any good. I commenced taking your medicine and with the first doses I realized I was getting better, and now after continuing your medicine for three months, am well and strong, and find that it is a wonderful medicine for female weakness. After my experience I will recommend it to anyone.
Mrs. Minnie Windell,
East Oak Hill, N. Y.

DEAFNESS CURED.

I take pleasure in recommending Dr. Brown to persons who are deaf I was completely discouraged, as I have been very deaf for ten years, gradually getting worse. All kinds of noises in my ears which kept me awake all night, and could not hear well, and feel that the results of the treatment are wonderful. I am 75 years old. Emery Woodard,
Jamestown, R. F. D. 82.

HEART DISEASE.

I have been afflicted with valvular disease of the heart for 5 years caused by Rheumatism, and I doctored and got no relief until I treated with Dr. Brown. I have taken his treatment. I am now well and strong, and feel like a new man, I now sleep well, and my catarrah of the stomach is also cured.
Gust A. Anderson
16 Maple St., City.

CATARRH.

I had catarrh all through my system; in my stomach, head, nose, and throat. Even my liver and kidneys were afflicted, and my bowels as well. I was nervous, tired easily, slept poorly and suffered from headaches, dizziness and constipation. I had irregular appetite, poor digestion and as troubled with pains in my stomah and back.

It was easy for me to take a bad cold and I was continually bothered with dryness in my throat and the hawking and spitting of mucus. Every morning I got up with a coated tongue, bad taste in my mouth and feeling anything but fit to do a good day's work.

All of my old troubles have disappeared. The Medicine helped me wonderfully and I cannot begin to say enough in its favor.
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WEEKLY COURT RECORD

MORTGAGES.

June 5 Jessie C. Edgett et al to Webster G. Drew, Brad., $350.

June 6 Fannie V Minard and husband to C. S. Thomas, Liberty Tp., $1.

C. S. Thomas and wife to Fannie V. Minard, Liberty Tp., $1.

John Wagner and wife to Peter Pecora and wife Bradford., $1,000

June 7 Karl E. (Carl) Nelson and wife to Harry T. Lobough, Bradford Tp., $1.

McKean County Trust Co. to Willard P. Clinet, Bradford 1$.

Evan O'Neil Kane and wife to Thomas L. Kane, Kane. 1.

Maria S. Swanson to Eskel J. Hiller, Hamilton Tp., $1.

Pennsylvania Railroad Co. to Sakura Silk Co., Kane, $1.

W. A. Miller and wife to Gertrude Mary Miller, Lafayette Tp., $1.

William T. Piper and wife to W. A. Miller, Lafayette Tp., $1.

H. M. Wick and wife to George A. Larkin, Bradford., $1

George A. Larkin and wife to E. J. Naber, Bradford, $1100.

C. W. Maxson to Coryville Chemical Co., Ceres, $100

June 8 M. D. Wright to Anna Wright, Bradford, $1.

A. J. Bond et al to T. E. Hanley Bradford, $1.

June 9 Eben Clark Pattison and wife by Atty. to Samuel A. Renicks, Smethport, $1.

A. M. Williams to John H. Canty and wife Bradford, $2200.

Natale Romagnino and wife to Nathan Shatzkin et al, Kane, $1

June 11 Christ Nelson and wife to Walter C. Nelson, Wetmore Tp., $1.

Treasurer McKean Co. to T. F. Hungiville, Smethport, $8.79.

T. F. Hungiville and wife to Willis R. Provin, Smethport, $45.40 Ast.

Payson F. Bard and wife to L. H. Coons, Port Allegany, $1200.

D. F. Pelton and wife to John B. Eastman and wife Keating Tp., $300.

June 12 Ira W. Hunter and wife to J. Edward Shaw and wife, Bradford, $1.

Mary A. Fairbanks et al to Arthur W. Eysabroat, Bradford, $1.

Abraham P. Lincoln to Fred Anderson, Bradford, $1.

Saba Moore Ballance to Raymond M. Dempsey and ife, Bradford, $1

Winifred Johnson and husband to Rose Koblenz, Bradford, $1

F. M. Hotchkiss and wife to Louis J. Krelnson, Bradford, $1

MORTGAGES.

June 7 Harry T. Lobough to John W. Van Tine et al Exrs. Bradford Tp., $1600.

John W. Worden to McKean Co. Bld and Loan Asn. Bradford Tp., $300.

Willard P. Cline to McKean County Trust Co., Bradford $3000.

Eskel J. Miller to Maria S. Swanson, Hamilton Tp., $3500.

E. J. Naber to McKean Co. Bld. and Loan Asn. Bradford, $3500.

Webster G. Drew to McKean Co. Bld and Loan Assn. Bradford $1700

June 8 Clarance W. Conroe to Bradford Bld and Sav. Assn. Bradford $1800.

Henry S. Rogers and wife to Hamlin Bank and Trust Co., Mt. Jewett, $700.

June 9 Yampolski Bros. to McKean County Trust Co., Bradford. $4000.

Daniel Yampolski to McKean County Trust Co., Bradford $2000.

John H. Canty and wife to Commercial Nat. Bank, Bradford $500.

Nathan Shatskin et al to Kane Trust and Savings Co., Kane $2600.

June 11 Walter C. Nelson to Christ Nelson, Wetmore Tp., $4500.

June 12 Homer Chatley to Katherine E. Schaur, Foster Tp., $21.85.

Raymond M. Dempsey and wife to Saba E. Moore, Bradford., $3000.

Same to Alice I. Unruh, Bradford $3000.

Rose Koblenz to McKean County Trust Co., Bradford, $2000.

SATISFACTION MORTGAGES

June 6 William E. Pelton to Charles M. Thomas and wife, Liberty Tp., $500.

June 7 Albin Johnson to Karl E. Nelson, Bradford Tp., $2500.

Jessie C. Edgett et al to Webster G. Drew, Bradford, $12.88

June 8 Thomas L. Kane, M. D. to Clarance E. Altman, Kane, $580

Bradford Bld. Loan and Sav. Assn to Clarance W. Conroe, Bradford, $2500.

Joseph D. Sayer to Fantine R. Burdick and husband, Mt. Jewett, $1000.

June 9 Ellen Fitzgibbon et al Exrs. to Wilhelmina Servatius and husband, Bradford $352.

C. G. Fitzgibbon Exrs. of to Jennis M. Myers et al, Bradford, $100

June 11. Kane Bank and Trust Co. to James G. Montgomery, Wetmore Tp., $3000.

Mary B. Blowers Admrx. &c to Tony Bizzaro, Bradford, $1600.

June 12 John C. Brazeh and wife to Elmer Dart, Bradford, $6000.

Same to Same Bradford, $6000.

Same to Same, Bradford, $6000.

Mary A. Crosby Smith to Homer Chatley, Foster Tp., $1050.

George W. Sandean heirs of to Elmira E. Moore, Bradford., $2000.

STAR

THEATER

Smethport, Pa.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, JUNE 15 and 16.
NORMA TALMADGE in THE VOICE FROM THE MINARET. Enough said.

MONDAY AND TUESDAY, JUNE 18 and 19.
DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS in THE THREE MUSKETEERS

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 20th.
WALLACE REID in WHATS YOUR HURRY.
Pathe News—

PERSONALS

Mrs. F. E. Bouton entertained a number of young ladies at a luncheon, Monday afternoon in honor of Miss Helen Bouton, bride elect.

Hilma Larson of Kane, Pa., spent the week here.

Mr. and Mrs. V. Hultman returned to Buffalo Sunday after spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Anderson.

Harold and Lawrence Alexis of Mt Jewett spent Sunday in town.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Larson and family of Mt. Jewett were over over Sunday guests of Mr and Mrs. C. O. Larson.

Mrs Olaf Hector and Elvera were Olean and Bradford visitors Saturday.

Arthur Engstrom of North Park College, Chicago is spending his vacation at home here.

Albert Hector who has been visiting his parents here returned to Minneapolis, Minn., Tuesday.

F. D. Gallup of Bradford was a business visitor in town Monday.

Helen Gleason entertained Wednesday in honor of Helen Bouton, at a 1 o'clock luncheon, at the Grand Central Hotel. The afternoon was spent at bridge.

L. C. Hummell of Welmington N. C. is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Gleason and family.

Pauline Allman of Olean was the guests of friends here Tuesday.

Mrs. Robert Digel gave a 6 o'clock dinner at her home Wednesday, entertaining the Bouton-Boyard bridal party.

Stella Larson was an Olean shopper Monday.

Victoria Johnson of Swedesboro, N. J. has returned to her home in this borough.

L. E. Stewart of Bradford was a business visitor Monday

H. B. Fox of Bradford was here on business Monday.

Amandus Engstrom was an Olean visitor Monday.

Raymond Peterson of Warren was a business visitor her Thursday.

Mrs. Fannie Cramer of Bradford spent Friday with friends here.

Bernice Erhard of Ridgway is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Anderson and family.

Louise Heath is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Scott Connolly of Port Allegany.

Mrs. Russell Hungerford returned from Dubois, Pa., Friday.

Floyd Heath of Mt. Jewett was here Friday.

Vera Johnson and Robert Hull were Bradford visitors Tuesday.

George Fitch left Tuesday for a few days in Buffalo.

W. E. Ringrose of Olean was in town Tuesday on business.

Gertrude Crandall of Hazelhurst spent Tuesday with friends here.

A. J. Christie of Reynoldsville was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Bessie Ottoson will leave Saturday for Somerset, Pa., where she will teach summer school.

Durand Feller of Olean was a visitor in town Tuesday.

Ellen Bloomfield of Buffalo is a guest of Alene Engstrom.

W. C. Miller of Wilcox was calling on friends here Tuesday.

Milton Engstrom underwent a slight operation on his nose Monday at Olean, Dr. Tindolph performed the operation.

Margaret Kiehl returned to Pittsburgh Monday. She has been the guest of her sister Mrs. John Wiant.

Louis Starsky, small son of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Starsky has been seriously ill this week.

Mrs. Henry Giroux of Akron, O. is visiting her mother, Mrs. E. R. Mayo of this place.

Mrs. Jane McBride is visiting relatives in Cleveland, O.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Love of East Smethport have a baby boy, born Monday, June 11th.

Mr and Mrs. Frank Canfield have a boy, born Thursday, June 7th.

Mrs. Ted Schmidt is in Bradford this week visiting her husband who is superintendent of highway construction on the new road at Bradford.

Vera Jones spent the week-end in Johnsonburg and Kane with friends.

R. Kessler and son Raphael and daughter Clara returned, Wednesday from the commencement exercises at State college, Raphael was a member of this year's graduating class.

The Bouton-Boyard wedding will take place this Thursday evening at St. Luke's church.

C. J. Fulmer of Olean was the guest of his brother W. R. Fulmer Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Selden of Port Allegany and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Birch and daughter, Barbara, of Cleveland, Ohio, were Sunday geusts of Mr and Mrs. W. R. Fulmer.

Horace Cunningham of this place is assisting on the Fulmer farm for a short time.

Mrs. E. G. Potter and son Guerdon left Monday for Rochester.

Dr. E. R. Baker of Erie was in town Wednesday.

Ruth Kessler arrived home Wednesday from Wellesley College.

Mrs. Tedd Schmidt was a Bradford visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. Frank Vossler and family of Olean were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Kleisath and family.

Mrs. Merril Bisett and Miss Margaret Barker attended the Tuesday club luncheon at the Country Club given by Miss Marjory Davis, in honor of Miss Helen Bouton.

Mrs. E. H. Botsford and children, Mrs. W. H. Hungerford and Mrs. C. R. Long and daughter Betty motored to Port Allegany Sunday.

The K. B. C. will give a miscellaneous shower this evening (Thursday) at the home of Sigrid Johnson in honor of Elvera Hector, bride elect.

Emma Swanson, Mary Lincoln Green and Marion Newman were in Olean Monday.

Mrs. Albert Anderson left Sunday for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. V. Tultman of Buffalo, N. Y.

Mrs. Wm. Hunxerford entertained the 500 club Wednesday evening.

Mrs. J. L. Eberly and Miss Geary of Johnsonburg spent Sunday with Dr. and Mrs. C. R. Long.

Mr and Mrs. A. T. Alexis of Johnsonburg were over Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Larson.

Mrs. L. K. Hogarth and daughter, Miss Dorothy were in Bradford Saturday.

Mr and Mrs. J. J. Allison and son Pierre left Tuesday for a visit with relatives in Steubenville, O.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Cooney, Marie Malon, Harry Eliason, were Bradford visitors Saturday.

Robert Hull underwent an operation for the removal of tonsils last Thursday at Olean. Dr. Tindolph performed the operation.

Mrs. C. B. Corwin is spending a few days in Port Allegany with Mr. and Mrs. H. Crabe.

Wm. Brownell of Chicago is here visiting his brother and sister. He will return to Chicago Sunday to teach in the University of Ill.

E. E. Drake and E. A. Studholme were in Ceres, N. Y. Tuesday on business.

Ruth and Mary McCarty will spend the week-end in Buffalo with Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Aiken and family.

Mrs. H. Berman who has been a patient at the Bradford hospital has returned to her home here Friday.

Sheriff J. F. Robinson and Frank Purtle left Sunday for Pittsburgh and took the Massare brothers to the penitentiary.

Margaret Sasse of Olean spent the week end with her parents here.

Mrs. C. B. Corwin and Mrs. Wm. Haffar were Bradford shoppers Friday.

Mrs R. Ray of Olean is a guest of Mrs. Mary Terry and family.

Mrs. C. W. Shattuck left Tuesday for a visit in Pittsburgh.

Enos Southwick of Johnsonburg spent Sunday with his family here.

Earl Chase spent the week-end in Bradford.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Backus of Olean were here Sunday.

Wm. Kirk of Johnsonburg spent the week-end here.

Mrs. Thos. Dunn left Friday for Brookville, Pa.

Orville Halpenny underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Bradford hospital Monday.

Mrs. C. H. Lorah of Beaver, Pa. is guest of friends here.

Rev. W. E. VanDyke was in Ripley, N. Y., the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R McCarty, Ruth, Mary and Ann Clark motored to Kane Sunday.

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Wm. Monheimer

The Cononada Camp Fire Girls had a covered dish party Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. B. A. Ball.

Mrs. Emigh of Crosby was in town Saturday.

Mrs. Alta Ness of Buffalo is spending a few days with her daughter Mrs. Merle Dickinson.

The operators at the Bell Telephone exchange gave a miscellaneous shower Tuesday evening for Miss Vera Johnson, bride elect.

John Hamilton of Gettysburg is visiting his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Robert Hamilton of this place.

Mrs. Lewis Robinson who sprained her ankle about a week ago, is much improved at present.

Mrs. Eugenia Hamlin is on the sick list this week.

Sheriff J. F. Robinson arrived on the 5:05 flyer from Pittsburgh this morning.

Mrs. F. J. Shattuck and daughter Mabel have returned to their home in Linesville, Pa., after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Backus and family. They were accompanied home by Miss Clarissa Backus who will be their guest for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Drake motored to Shinglehouse, Pa., Sunday to see Mr. Drake's mother who is seriously ill

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Purkeypile of Cleveland, O., are guests of Mrs. Purkeypile's mother, Mrs. Belle Egan.

Miss Harriet Herzog has returned home from Indiana, Pa., where she graduated from the Indiana State Normal school recently.

Mrs. Gordon Studholme of Port Allegany is spending the week-end here with her mother, Mrs. Joseph Holder, who is seriously ill.

Miss Gertrude Richards of Hazelhurst, spent the week end with her brother, George Richards and family.

O. H. Miller, deputy collector will be in Smethport, Tuesday, June 19, for the purpose of collecting special taxes. He will be at the Grand Central Hotel, to receive special taxes.

On account of the absence of several who were to have part on the program for Allegiance Day, it has been indefinitely postponed.

Rev. S. A. Renicks, Mrs. Dave Parsons, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Butzer Myer Rice, Homer Green and Margaret Spangle were in attendance at th Alegany River Baptist Association Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

F. M. Spangle is a Kane business visitor this week.

Mrs. F. M. Spangle and son William are spending a few days at the home of Mrs Christina Haffner of Clermont.

There will be a full rehearsal at the Baptist church Friday evening, June 15, at 7 o'clock. Everyone be present and on time.

Mrs. F. J. Quirk and Mrs. E. E. Bouton entertained a few friends at dinner Saturday evening at the former's home on East Main street.

Mrs. E. G. Potter entertained the bridge Club Saturday evening at dinner at her home on Green street.

Mrs. M. M. Gillette and daughter Phyllis motored to Buffalo Sunday.

Mrs. L. E. Munn is giving a dancing party this (Thursday) evening in Quirks hall for her daughters Beatrice and Evelyn.

Mrs. W. S. Palmer and Miss Eulalie King were Olean visitors Tuesday p. m.

Mrs. Dora Morrison who was injured last week by falling shelves, is much better, but is not able to be about as yet.

Mrs. R. Kessler left Saturday for Troy, N. Y., to attend the commencement exercises at the Emma Willard school. Her daughter, Nancy is one of this years graduates.

Mr. and Mrs. John Tretton and children of Rochester, N. Y., who are the guests of the Misses Emma and Julia Tretton, motored to Wellsville, N. Y., Sunday, and spent the day with relatives.

Miss Margaret Barker who attends school at New Haven, Conn., has arrived home for her summer vacation, and is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Margaret Barker of East Main street.

Mrs. Mary Bissett, who has spent the winter in Tulsa, Oklahoma, with her son, Merle Bissett and family, has returned to her home in this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Monheimer and daughter, Alice are in Buffalo, this week the guests of their son Walter, who is a salesman for the Rugby Knitting Mills.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hovis were Oil City visitors this week.

Dick Shattuck left Saturday to visit relatives in DuBois, Pa.

Benjamin Moore, Dan Fowler, Henry Moore and family of Costello and Leonard Moore of Port Allegany motored here Sunday, and spent the day with Letty and Pearl Moore.

Fourteen members of the graduating clas of the local High school, chaperoned by Mrs. A. J. Hyatt, left Sunday for Chautauqua Lake where they will spend the week at the cottage of the Hon. J. W. Bouton. Those making the trip were, Gerald Denning, Victor Bouton, Leonard Johnson, Albert Johnson, William Metzgar, Max Smith, Anne Andrews, Edith Andrews, Bernadine Gillen, Leota Hovis, Ethel Moore, Helen Pierce, Florence Schoonmaker and Neva Sutton. Other members of the class expect to join them during the week.

McKean Chapter, Daughters of American Revolution, will hold its Flag Day observance at the home of the regent, Mrs. R. Kessler jr., on West Main street, Saturday at 3 o'clock. There will be a patriotic program and refreshments will be served. Each member may bring one guest.

The Rev W. E. VanDyke has a fine new Chevrolet sedan, the gift of members of his parish.

Members of Cononada Camp Fire had a picnic supper at the home of Mrs. Bernard Ball on Bank street at 6 o'clock this evening.

County Farm agent P. S. Crossman left Tuesday for State College to attend Farmers' Week.

Mrs. M. M. Gillett and daughter, Phyllis motored to Buffalo the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl R. Gallup and daughter, Pauline and Marjorie, spent the week end with relatives in Driftwood.

The Misses Janet and Louise Redfield went to Syracuse, N. Y., Monday to visit relatives and to attend a dancing party at Manlius Academy as the guest of their brother and cousin, Scott F. Redfield, jr.

Miss Ruth Walker left Monday for Philadelphia where she will attend the meeting of the grand lodge Order of the Eastern Star, as a representative of Phoenix Chapter.

Elwood Warner, a former Smethport boy, now in the U. S. Navy spent the week end with friends here before proceeding to Jamestown, N. Y., to visit his father, George Warner.

Mrs. Goff and Cornelia and Georgenia Hoop of Lafayette were in town Thursday shopping.

Mrs. C. H. Latham who has been seriously ill at her home in Bradford is not improving as fast as her freinds would like her to. Mrs. C. H. Latham is suffering a deal of pain at this writing.

CARD OF THANKS.

To all of our friends in Clermont, Smethport and vicinity: We wish to extend our heartiest thanks and appreciation for the kindness shown and the beautiful floral offerings in this our bereavement and for attention and help during sickness and death of our father John W. Anderson.

A. R. Anderson and Family,
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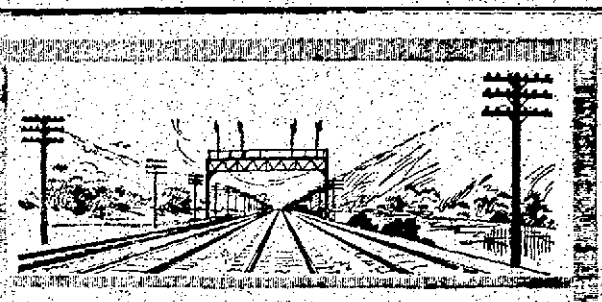
Persons interested in this or other examinations should apply to the Secertary o fthe U. S. Civil Service Board at the local post office for detailed information and application blanks.

Knot in a Good Egg. What?

Harrodsburg, Ky.—D. J. Divine of Rose Hill exhibits a very curious egg of small size he got on his farm. One end of the egg is smaller than the other and is curved in the shape of a knot. Divine says he never saw anything of the kind before. Others say likewise.



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C. W. SHATTUCK, Esq.
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Smethport, Pa., June 2nd, 1923.
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Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed Auditor to make distribution of the funds remaining in the hands of the Administrator in the matter of the estate of James W. Bartlett, late of the Borough of Kane, County of McKean and State of Pennsylvania, deceased, No. 24, February Term, 1923, in the Orphans' Court of McKean County, Pennsylvania, will hold a meeting for that purpose in the Council Council Chamber in the borough Building situate on Bayard Street, in the Borough of Kane, county and State aforesaid, on Friday, June 29th, 1923, at ten o'clock, A. M., when and where all persons interested may appear and be heard if they see fit.

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Lois Wilson

Perhaps no "movie" star has gained more favorable consideration for excellent work than has Lois Wilson, now appearing in "The Covered Wagon." Miss Wilson has been seen as leading woman in numerous prominent productions. She entered the motion picture field some time ago after winning a beauty contest conducted by a Birmingham, (Ala.) newspaper. She is a typical sweet, home-loving type. Before going into pictures she was a school teacher.

THE RIGHT THING at the RIGHT TIME

By MARY MARSHALL DUFFEE

KNIVES AND FORKS

Custom reconciles us to everything.—Edmund Burke.

FOR the family dinner table it used to be considered in perfectly good taste to have the teaspoons placed in what was known as a spoon-holder, and in many households this silver or glass contraption still persists. But there was a very good reason why it went out of favor among more fastidious folk. It was bound to collect dust and, as it was left on the sideboard or table between meals it offered very poor harborage for the clean spoons. So now we have our spoons kept with the knives and forks between meals in a closed drawer in the buffet or pantry, and they are laid on the table, where they will be most convenient when the table is set just before each meal.

For the simple dinner it is possible correctly to place all the silver on the table for the entire meal, save possibly the small coffee spoons, if that beverage is served after the dessert. For a longer, more elaborate dinner, only the silver for the first three or four courses is laid at the places at the beginning of the meal, as the entire set would appear rather cumbersome, and additional knives and forks are brought in as the course is served. Besides, it often happens that the hostess really has not enough silver for a many-coursed dinner for a party of a dozen or more, and so this gives her an opportunity to have the pieces used in the first courses washed for use later on in the meal.

It is a general rule that forks are placed to the left of the plate, with the prongs up, and that knives and spoons are placed at the right, the tip of the spoon uppermost and the blade of the knife turning in toward the plate. Spoons are placed to the right of the knives, usually, although it is customary to place the oyster fork at the extreme right. Some persons prefer to place the oyster fork diagonally across the spoons and knives, but this is perhaps not in such simple taste. It is a very good plan to have the silver arranged according to courses. Thus the oyster fork, which will be needed before any of the spoons or the knives, is placed where it is most easy to get it, at the extreme right, the other knives and spoons being arranged as they will be needed from that point toward the plate. With the forks the one first needed is at the extreme left.

At formal dinners, of course, there is no butter spreader, because there is no butter. If dinner rolls are served, they are eaten without butter. But at luncheons or at the family dinner, where butter is served, the spreaders are best placed across the butter plate. Of course, these spreaders are a convenience, but it is quite possible to dispense with them, and many persons who set a well-equipped table do manage without them.

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A most interesting and valuable collection of about one hundred dolls has been presented to the New England Home for Little Wanderers. Each foreign doll was made in the country whose people it typifies in form and feature, and is correctly dressed in native costume. In the group is a "dried-apple-face" New England doll over one hundred years old.

Ice Cream Production Shows Heavy Increase

Washington.—Reports to the department of agriculture from 2,673 factories showed an increase of 13,000,000 gallons in the production of ice cream last year over 1921, the total for last year reaching 101,000,000 gallons. The department also announced that production of creamery butter last year totaled 1,153,515,000 pounds, an increase of 100,000,000 pounds over 1921, while the output of cheese was 370,000,000 pounds, an increase of 14,000,000 pounds. Production of oleomargarine and condensed and evaporated milk in 1922 showed a decrease of 27,000,000 and 84,000,000 pounds, respectively, from the preceding year's output.

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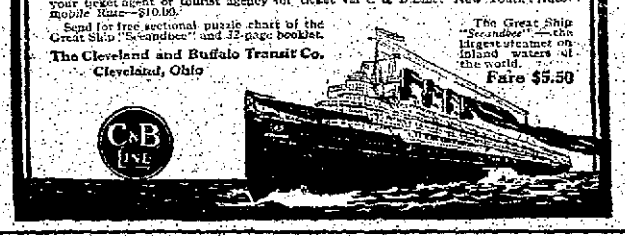

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DAIRY TALK

BUSINESS METHODS NEEDFUL

Dairy Industry Is All Right for Making Money if Some Good System Is Followed.

The trouble with the dairy business lies mostly with the methods of the men in the business. Some dairymen prosper while their neighbors fail by the wayside. The dairy business is all right, but it takes good business methods to make profits, says M. H. Keeney, dairy specialist of the New Jersey College of Agriculture.

The coming year will not be particularly different from any other year in the dairy business. The specialist suggests the good dairymen's methods should be analyzed and applied to the average dairy business.

Know your cows, he says. Good dairymen know what their cows are doing. They keep milk records, weed out the unprofitable cows, raise heifer calves from the best cows and thereby improve their herds. You can't guess, at these things and get ahead. It takes records to get the facts.

Good dairymen are good feeders. They feed balanced rations and according to production. They have silos, alfalfa or clover hay and feed liberally of grain. Circular 127, of the New Jersey state agricultural experiment station, is used as a feeding guide by thousands of good dairymen. It is free upon request to the station at New Brunswick.

All of our best dairymen use pure-bred bulls because they know it pays. A good bull will remake a poor herd into a good one, but a poor bull will ruin any herd and may put his owner in the poorhouse. A good bull is the best investment any dairyman can make. You never have and never will see a herd succeed with scrubs. It takes good cows to make money and the bull is the main factor in getting better cows. Good dairymen observe all of these things and apply them in their business. They will make money in 1923.

PLAN FOR IMPROVING HERDS

Fundamental Rules of Fitting Must Be Understood to Have Cows in Good Condition.

If the dairy breeds are to be improved and brought up to maximum milk and butterfat production so that the science of breeding may be brought down to more nearly a problem of mathematics, then the good cows of the leading breeds must be given credible official records. Fundamental rules of fitting must be understood and observed to have the cows in condition to make good records, and then fundamental rules of feeding must be fully understood and appreciated in feeding them when they are undergoing the test.

KEEP RECORD OF DAIRY COW

Spring Scale Placed in Convenient Place Will Make Matter of Weighing Easy Task.

Keep a record of the number of pounds of milk given by each cow. Hang a spring scale in a convenient place where the milk can easily be weighed, and mark down the weight of each milking on a chart prepared for the purpose. At the end of every month, add up the amount of milk produced to determine the monthly record. The year's record will show the amount of milk produced by each cow.

WATER AND SALT ESSENTIAL

Two Important Ingredients Must Be Supplied to Calf for Its Best Development.

At all times calves should have access to a quantity of fresh water. In the development of the calf, water is a very essential factor and plenty of it is not amiss. When the calf is four weeks old it should have one-fourth ounce of salt each day and the quantity should be increased as the animal matures. In six months it should be able to take as much as one-third ounce per day. Salt should be fed in connection with the feed.

SUPERIOR RATION FOR CALF

Important to Get Young Animal on Skim Milk With Grain and Hay Soon as Possible.

Get the calves to take a good ration of skim milk with some hay and grain as soon as possible. For the first two weeks after birth a small calf such as an average Jersey should receive about eight pounds of four quarts of milk daily fed in two or three feeds a day. A large calf such as a Holstein may be given ten or twelve pounds daily.

Cause of Calf Bloat.

Bloat in calves is often caused by too much leafy clover or alfalfa. Except in severe cases very little treatment is given. In severe cases it may be necessary to use the trocar to let out the gas. In such a case a competent veterinarian should be called.

Vermin Pester Calves.

Lice on calves are common. They make the calf uncomfortable, take its strength, and make the hair come out in patches. Many methods of getting rid of lice have been practiced.

1,804,187,631 PEOPLE IN WORLD

Seven Per Cent of People Live in Cities of More Than 100,000.

Berlin.—Scattered over the face of the earth is a total population of 1,804,187,631, only 7 per cent of which is in cities of more than 100,000 inhabitants, according to statistics compiled here and based largely on 1922 census reports. Only thirty of the seventy nations listed have cities of or above the 100,000 class, which is the lowest counted within the classification of "large cities."

Approximately 40,000,000 of the globe's inhabitants live in the eighteen centers having a million residents or more each. About 90,000,000 live in the smaller cities, of which there are only 393 in the whole world. The average large city is said to number some 320,000 souls. From these figures, it is stated, every forty-fifth human resides in a city housing millions, while every fourteenth finds his home in a large city of some sort.

New York Biggest City.

New York is given as the largest city in the world, with a population of 5,620,048. London is second with 4,483,245, and Berlin third with 3,803,770.

Europe leads the continents in point of population. It has six cities in the million class—London, Berlin, Paris, Glasgow, Vienna and Moscow—and 103 with more than 100,000 inhabitants. Of the European countries, England has 53 large cities, Germany 45, Italy 16, France 15 and Russia 13.

It is considered surprising that Asia has more large cities than North America. Six of the 92 Asiatic cities house more than a million apiece. These are Shanghai, Hankau, Calcutta, Bombay, Tokyo and Osaka. British India is credited with 20 large cities; China has 20, so far as available records show, and Japan numbers 10, including three in her foreign possessions.

United States Leads.

North America follows Asia, with 79 large cities. Four of these—New York, Chicago, Philadelphia and Mexico City—are placed in the million class. Of the nations on that continent, the United States leads with 68 large cities, 12 of which record more than a half-million inhabitants.

Twenty-four large cities are located in South America, Brazil having 13. Buenos Aires and Rio de Janeiro are the only million-resident centers.

Australia counts eight large cities, none of which runs up into a million.

Home of Annie Laurie in Scotland for Sale

Edinburgh.—The estate of Craigdarroch, Dumfriesshire, is for sale. This historic ground, which embraces 2,700 acres, has been in the hands of one family, the Fergussons, since 1308.

The mansion house at Craigdarroch was the home of Annie Laurie, whose name is forever preserved in the ballad that extols her. She married Alexander Fergusson of Craigdarroch, and on her death in 1761, at the age of seventy-nine, she was buried in the ancient graveyard of Craigdarroch.

At Craigdarroch has been carefully treasured for more than a century "the whistle," a contest for which inspired Robert Burns' ballad of that name. It was brought from Denmark by a Dane of gigantic stature and a champion of Bacchus. At the commencement of his orgies he laid the whistle on the table, and whoever was last to blow it was to carry it off as a trophy of victory. The Dane at last met more than his match in one of the Lauries of Maxwellton, who, after three days' and nights' hard contest, left the Scandinavian under the table.

Titled Woman Praises Sahara Desert Sheiks

London.—The Touregs of the Sahara, writes Lady Dorothy Mills to the Daily Chronicle, are handsome men and devoted to their women. "Aristocrats of the sand," Lady Dorothy calls them. "The men live by bloodshed and pillage and are the handsomest creatures alive—slim, amber-skinned and muscular. They hide their aquiline features behind a black or dark blue veil that leaves nothing visible but their bright eyes.

"Their women are very good looking, though among the richer classes beauty is measured by weight and young girls are subjected to a fattening process something like that of the Christmas turkey. Often by the time they reach maturity they can only move by the aid of two or more slaves."

Old Glory Flying on Nest of Loyal Robins

Topeka, Kan.—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Davies, 415 Buchanan street, have a family of 100 per cent American robins in a pear tree in their back yard. Either Madame Robin or Friend Husband, in their search for building material for a nest, came across a small American flag, and wanting to bring up their children as law-abiding citizens, wove the flag into their nest. Enough of the flag remained loose to wave in the breeze, and has attracted much attention.

FRENCH NOW PROVE "BIG BERTHAS" SHELLED PARIS

Obtain Plans of German Guns With Range of 75 Miles.

Paris.—The statement by Leon Daudet, deputy and well-known journalist, that the "Big Berthas," commonly believed to have been used by the Germans in firing on Paris in 1918, never existed, caused a sensation in French newspapers.

His theory was that a gun of that kind could not have been fired at such long range, and that a new type of electric gun was used, which was concealed in some remote building on the outskirts of Paris. "Le Matin," however, came out with the statement that absolute proofs of the existence of the Berthas are in the possession of the French. They have the German plans of the guns.

The "Big Bertha" was not very different from the ordinary naval gun, except that the tube varied in length from 100 to 125 feet and the tube of the naval gun was a little less than 65 feet. Its force was due not to electricity but to a highly explosive powder. The exact character of the projectile is known also. It was a shell with a false point. This idea of the false point for guns firing at long range was originated by the French. The false point is of very soft steel. There are two bands of red copper over the part of the shell opposite the fuse hole, and above these bands are a number of grooves. The weight of the projectile is about 200 pounds. The guns were used to fire from distances of 70 to 80 miles. There were six of them in use and they were operated by German marines under the command of an admiral.

The location of the guns northwest of Laon was discovered by French aviators and French shells from the Vailly-sur-Aisne district fell near the guns, putting them out of commission, and wounding several of the soldiers stationed there.

Later the Germans installed a gun in the region of Hum. It was considered strange by some that they did not concentrate all the Berthas on one point. The results would have been much more successful. The French made this same mistake at the beginning of the war, preferring to have their fire distributed rather than concentrated.

Christ "Never Laughed," Says Oldest Description

Paris.—The oldest description of Jesus Christ has just been discovered in an old Latin text in the Vatican library; which has been revised under the supervision of Pope Pius XI. It is a police report under Pro-Consul Publius Lentulus, who, it is stated in the Matin, was the predecessor of Pontius Pilate. The description of Jesus Christ is as follows:

"He has long, fair hair falling in curls on the shoulders. They are parted in the middle. Christ wears the double-pointed beard, which is paler than the hair. His eyes are light blue and wear a kind expression, but at times they flash under the stress of temper.

"He is of normal build and stands erect. The voice is soft. He was never seen to laugh, but people often saw him cry. His hands are very well kept.

"He is called Jesus, son of Mary. His friends also call Him the Son of God."

Cider, 75 Years in Jar, Soft and Sweet

Piqua, O.—The only American rival of the ancient morsels of food unearthed with the treasures of King Tut is in the basement of Mrs. Maude Carter's home near here.

The food—all canned goods—has been conceded the oldest in the country by the United States Department of Agriculture and soon will be taken to Washington as an exhibit of proper canning methods and perfect sterilization.

One glass of cider is 75 years old. Two years ago, soon after prohibition, members of Mrs. Carter's household, not believing the cider could still be "soft" after so many years, opened the jar. They found it still sweet. Mrs. Carter reboiled the cider and put it back in its container. The oldest jar of fruit contains peaches, said to have been picked from a tree in the Carter back yard in September, 1868. The fruit is in a perfect state of preservation.

Old "White House" Is Renamed the "Nook"

Frederick, Md.—The old "White House," near Braddock Heights, so named because President George Washington is said to have once been a visitor there, has been renamed the "Nook," the christening following the purchase of the property from Leo H. Summerfield by Walter Graham.

The property's claim to historic fame hangs on several pegs, upon which, it is said, the nation's first president hung his hat and coat.

It is said the White House has been mentioned in a biography of Washington.

Coyotes Killing Big Goats.

Toledo, Ore.—Coyotes are actually wiping out the goats, one of the most important agricultural lines in this county, and goat owners are seeking relief, according to a report of County Agent Beck, just returned from the Nashville-Nortons district. The coyotes are becoming so predacious they kill goats and sheep.

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PRESIDENT HARDING ACCLAIMED BY THOUSANDS IN DELAWARE

Lewes, Del., June 10.—After an all day trip through Delaware, in which they were acclaimed by thousands of persons from one end of the state to the other President and Mrs. Harding and the other members of the party left the pier here for the Mayflower, which lay at anchor in th Breakwater at 2:30 o'clock (daylight saving time) this morning. All the way from Milford, where the President was initiated into the Tall Cedars of Lebanon, to Lewes, the road was lined with people who had stood awaiting his coming from early in the evening until after two o'clock. At Georgetown, Harborson and Cool Spring, the houses were illuminated. The occupants stood in the road with lanterns and flags in their hands. In response to their cheers, the President and Mrs. Harding bowed and waved their hands.

At the pier in Lewes, just before he boarded the launch for the Mayflower, the President made the last of a series of a dozen speeches. He thanked the people for waiting up all night to see him and assured them that the day, although a long one, was one of the most pleasant in his life. A detail from the coast guard was in attendance and acted as an escort from the pier to the launch.

CAMP MEAD TRAINING CAMP

Parents who expect to send their sons to Camp Meade for a month's training from June 26th to July 25th can be assured that their boys will be well looked after.

Brigadier General H. B. Fiske, U. S. A., who has charge of the summer Training Camps, was with the first American troops to land in France. He was on General Pershing's Staff, in charge of training and instruction in the A. E. F.

Last summer Brigadier General Fiske visited all the training camps in the U. S. A. and had the opportunity to observe the methods carried on in each.

Colonel Helms, who will be the Executive officer at Camp Meade this summer who will have direct charge and supervision over the Camp activities brings to this job an experience of 30 years service. For the past 3 years he has held the position of Executive Officer in the Training Camps.

Lieutenant Colonel Wills, 34th Infantry, will be the Adjutant at Camp Meade and will have charge of all administrative and Personnel functions during the Camp. Colonel Willis has had more than 24 years service and was in the Philippines and Mexican Campaign and overseas with the 76th Division as Divisional Machine Gun Officer.

Recreation at Camp Meade will be cared for equally as well by Miss Mary E. Hutchin, who has been delegated by the War Department to act as Supervising Hostess at Camp Meade during the coming summer. Miss Hutchin is now Chief Army Hostess of the 3rd Corps Area. She is well acquainted with the conditions to be met at Camp Meade having spent two years at that Post as Camp Hostess.

Four Aides have been assigned to Miss Hutchins to help conduct the work at Camp Meade. She is arranging a program of weekly dances for the C. M. T. C. boys, also boat trips down the Chespeake andother excursions.

Special arrangements have been made for the entertainment of parents, sisters and freinds of the C. M. T. C. boys. Accommodations are being prepared for mothers, who may wish to stay over night.

As the hot weather approaches it looks as if the full quota of 3200 young men as going to be realized. Many young men who for the past month have been considering this matter, have decided the question in the right way and have applied for admision.

Twelve Counties in the State have already oversubscribed the quota allotted to them and both parents and boys are beginning to see that an opportunity of this sort, with no strings attached to it and all expenses paid is a proposition well worth taking advantage of.

The young men who take this training for one month will have the opportunity of seeing Annapolis and the Capital of the United States. They will be in the midst of a lovely farming country half way between Washington and Baltimore. There will be lots of other young men their own age from Virginia, Maryland, District of Columbia and Regular Army Officers and non-commisioned Officer that our Government can provide.

Applications will be accepted from young men who will attain the age of seventeen before December 31st, 1923.

All information on these Camps can be obtained at 310 Bellevue Court Building, Philadelphia, Pa.

AUTOMOBILE TURNS OVER: ONE INJURED.

As the result of an automobile accident on the Big Shanty Hill late yesterday afternoon, one of the occupants is in the Bradford hospital and the Oakland car, which was wrecked, is in the General garage, Bradford.

The car which is owned by William Burtch of Davis City, was occupied by Mr. Burtch, his son Clyde Burtch and Charles McDermott, also of Davis City. As the automobile was gingerly making its way down the steep incline, known for many miles around as a difficult descend for cars, something suddenly happened which caused the car to turn completely turtle.

How the three men escaped from serious injury is a mystery, but as it happened only one was hurt and that one was Mr. McDermott. He suffered severely in his side and it was thought best to remove him to the Bradford hospital, and he was taken to that institution in another car, at 5:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon. It is feared that two ribs are broken.

The car which made a sorry appearance was towed to the General Garage in Bradford.—Star June 12.

Catfish Is Too Much for Kentucky Rattler

Albert Edelin, a farmer, of New Haven, Ky., killed a rattlesnake a few days ago which had tried to swallow a three-pound catfish. The fish, in struggling to escape, had expanded its gills and driven its fins through the snake's sides. Neither the fish nor the snake could release itself.

ANNUAL CONVENTION OF SUNDAY SCHOOL

The Thirty-Second Annual Convention of the McKean County Sabbath School Association will be held at Bradford, Pennsylvania, on Wednesday and Thursday, June 13 and 14, 1923, in the First Presbyterian church.

First Session
Wednesday Afternoon.

1:30. Registration of delegates.
2:00. Song Service.
Devotions. Rev. N. J. MacIntyre.
2:30 Address of Welcome, Rev. Dean Miller.
2:40. Response, Mr. C. E. McCluskey.
2:45. Special Music.
2:55. Conference, "Local School Administration", Dr. Henry E. Tralle.
3:25. Song
3:30. Appointment of Committees, Secretary and Treasurers' Reports.
4:00. "Our Job." Dr. Henry E. Tralle.
4:45. "Get Acquainted Period."
5:15. Adjournment.
6.00. Workers' Banquet.

Second Session, Wednesday 7:30 p. m
7:30. Song Service
Devotions, Rev. S. A. Keen.
8:00. Announcements and Offering.
8:15. Special Music.
8:25. "Vision and Victory." Dr. Henry E. Tralle.
9:25. Music.
Adjournment.

Thursday Morning, 9:30.
Song.
Devotions, Rev. W. W. Dailey.
Business, Report of Committees.
Divisional Conferences:
Young Peoples' Rev. E. H. Bonsall, Jr.
Adult, Rev. Paul Miller.
Children's, Miss McEwen.
Music
"The Church and its Young People" Rev. E. H. Bonsall, Jr.
Adjournment.

Thursday Afternoon, 1:30.
Song Service.
Devotions, C. Dewey Smithley.
The Essential Qualification of S. S. Work." Rev. A. A. Nellis.
Conference—"Building and Maintaining District Organization, Rev. E. H. Bonsall, Jr.
Special Music.
"Evengelism the Goal of S. S. Work" Dr. J. V. Anderson.
Administrative Conference, Rev. E. H. Bonsall, jr.
Report of District Presidents and County Officers.
Adjournment.

Thursday evening, 7:30.
Song Service.
Devotions, Rev. C. I. Armstrong.
Installation of Officers.
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"The Challenge to Life Service", Rev. E. H. Bonsall, jr.
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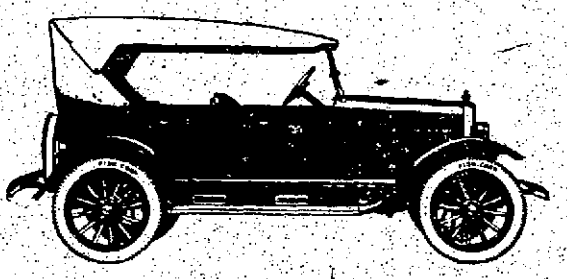

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